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T H E P R I C K E D E A R

In these dark waters
Drawn up from my frozen well...
Glittering of spring

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POETRY

Due to the growing interest in writing poetry on the part of a number of Gryphons and ex-Gryphons, The Pricked Ear will sometime in the near future put out an edition of poetry written solely by Gryphons. It will probably be an extra edition. If you are interested in contributing, get started on thinking and writing now. Details will be announced later.
R.C.E.

THE FRESHMAN YEAR

Much has been said about the freshman year at Lehigh as it presently exists. Some people defend it; more criticize it. We, as counselors, have the closest contact of any group on campus to this whole area of thought, and should have quite a few ideas, both pro and con, on the freshman year as now organized. Some of us probably have gone so far as to formulate specific ideas for improvement which we would like to see put into effect. If so, an outlet now exists for their ideas. Arcadia Associates, at the behest of Arcadia, has initiated a study of the freshman year at Lehigh. They will specifically study the following areas:

- Orientation
- Social Life
- Participation in Activities
- Candidates for Admission
- Self-Government

If you have any ideas and/or opinions on these areas or the whole topic in general, please put them in writing and transmit them to Jim Rice, Russ Borner, or David Phelps. It is hoped that many of you will do so, because the Gryphon Society is the best source of first-hand information on the actual situation at Lehigh, which Arcadia Associates can turn to.
D.P.

ATTENTION TO ORDERS:

On 9 April 1960 at 2100 hours (9 PM) a "Gapfiller" party will be held in Richards House Counselors Lounge. This will be the last party held prior to Houseparty and it is hoped that everyone will attend. Food and beer will be served.
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BANQUETS

The Gryphon Society Banquet Committee is requesting your help in the matter of planning a future banquet program. As there have been some dissatisfactions expressed, concerning the present plan, please number in order of preference, on the form at the bottom of the last page, the alternatives that are open to us. Thank you.

John Rettew

NOTICES

Thanks to Gordon Bradley for the party last Saturday. In spite of a slow start, it turned into a very lively party.

Meeting of Rice, Jarvis, Rothenberger, Morse, Robinson, Pritchard, Nichols, Mulherin, Masuda, and Rettew in Dravo House Counselors' Lounge, on Wednesday March 23, at 4:15 P.M.

Subject is Houseparty Weekend.

Tentative schedule is as follows:

- Pre-Dance Cocktail Party on Friday.
- After Dance Party with Band on Friday.
- Picnic Saturday afternoon.
- Dinner in U.C. on Saturday.
- Saturday Night party with records.

The following men are asked to take a survey in their respective houses to determine approximately how many Gryphons, Pledges, and dates will attend the various functions listed above: Pritchard - Park, Nichols - Richards, Robinson - Drinker, and Rothenberger - Dravo. Have the results of these surveys ready to report at the meeting on Wednesday.

The following committee chairmen are asked to have ready on Wednesday a reasonably accurate estimate of cost of their respective

functions, depending on how many are reported to be planning on attending such functions: Morse, Robinson, Pritchard, Rettew, and Nichols.

The Gryphon Society Banquet this week will be held Thursday night, March 24 at 5:30 P.M. in Room 303 of the U.C. We hope to have as our guests several members of the INSTEP program. Please make an effort to arrive at the banquet a little before 5:30 so we may start promptly.

The Treasurer of our organization transmits the newest that all people who have not paid their \$6.00 please do so in the near future, since a list of names of those who haven't paid by the beginning of spring vacation will be sent to Dean Campbell for his edification.

A new session at the Reading and Study Clinic is starting on April 4. Registration is before April 1, so tell your appropriate freshmen.

The University of Maryland is offering Graduate Resident Assistantships in Men's Residence Halls for next year. Remuneration: \$1800 plus tuition and room fees. For details see R.C.E.

MOVIES

		<u>Bethlehem</u>
Globe	Mon.-Tues.:	Sapphire, Hell Bent For Leather
	Starts Wed.:	Bridges at Toko-Ri, Country Girl
College	Mon.-Tues.:	Porgy and Bess
	Starts Wed.:	This Rebel Breed
Boyd	Mon.-Thurs.:	A Dog of Flanders
	Starts Fri.:	The Third Voice
Nile	Mon.-Tues.:	Mating Time
	Starts Wed.:	Once More With Feeling
		<u>Allentown</u>
Boyd	Mon.-?:	Dog of Flanders
	Next Feature	The Third Voice
Colonial	Mon.-Tues.:	Prime Time, Carnival Story
	Starts Wed.:	This Rebel Breed
Earle	Mon.-?:	Sapphire, Hell Bent for Leather
Rialto	Mon.-On:	Porgy and Bess

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- _____ A. Banquets in multipurpose room; one menu of chopped sirloin steak, two vegetables, and rolls for \$.05. Second menu ranging in price from \$.40 to \$.80, different selection for each banquet. (First menu always the same.)
 - _____ B. Banquets in multipurpose room; two menus costing approximately \$.45 to \$.60 each; as much variety in menu selection as possible.
 - _____ C. Banquets in multipurpose room; one menu of about \$.50 for everyone.
 - _____ D. Banquets in Asa Packer Room; Gryphon special or order from menu: similar to last semester.
 - _____ E. Opposed to any kind of banquet.

It is very important that you return this paper to John Rettew, Dravo D-409, Box 354, as soon as you can. No signature is needed.

FLASH! The lists of signatures in support of the Point Four Youth Corps bill should be returned shortly to Arcadia. This project deserves our support. Let's urge our Freshmen to read the Arcadia material (today!) and register their reaction, since many would otherwise pass up this chance to voice their opinions on this important matter.

Tom Gott

